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Mr. Thomas J. Suchoski Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining 1588 West North Temple Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING Re:

Cane Creek ACT/019/007

Dear Mr. Suchoski:

Concerning the points in your letter of 2-6-80. Due to the steep nature of the Cane Creek Mine area, no room was available for buildings. All air and power for the mine is provided by portable equipment parked on the wasterock stockpiles.

Attachment B is inappropriate in the case of the Cane Creek Mine, Atlas Minerals intends, where possible, to regrade the slopes as indicated but in this case no topsoil is available.

A field inspection sometime after April would be best because of the remoteness of the area. Just give me notice before you come down.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Dye

Reclamation Engineer

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